

STAND. COM. REP. NO. 2063

Honolulu, Hawaii

FEB 05 2014

RE: S.B. No. 2455

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature  
Regular Session of 2014  
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committees on Agriculture and Higher Education, to which was referred S.B. No. 2455 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE,"

beg leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to appropriate funds to the University of Hawaii College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources to operate and implement the 4-H program.

Your Committees received testimony in support of this measure from the Department of Agriculture; University of Hawaii College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources; Hawaii Cattlemen's Council, Inc.; 4 Ag Hawaii; Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation; and one individual.

Your Committees find that cultivating a new generation of farmers and ranchers is vital to Hawaii's agricultural economy and sustainability. The 4-H program works directly with volunteer farmers and ranchers to inspire youth to pursue agricultural endeavors and to become future leaders in the agricultural industry. Accordingly, supporting the 4-H program is vital to the State's future.

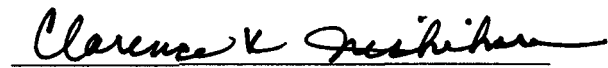
Your Committees believe that an appropriation of approximately \$120,000 would be necessary for the University of Hawaii to broaden the reach and impact of the 4-H program in various communities of each county.



As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committees on Agriculture and Higher Education that are attached to this report, your Committees are in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2455 and recommend that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on  
behalf of the members of the  
Committees on Agriculture and  
Higher Education,

  
BRIAN T. TANIGUCHI, Chair

  
CLARENCE K. NISHIHARA, Chair



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<input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312         </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <sup>RDR</sup>  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311         </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310         </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313         </div> </div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
NISHIHARA, Clarence K. (C)	✓			
KOUCHI, Ronald D. (VC)	✓			
DELA CRUZ, Donovan M.	✓			
ENGLISH, J. Kalani	✓			
THIELEN, Laura H.	✓			
WAKAI, Glenn				✓
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	60			1
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted         </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted         </div> </div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; margin-top: 10px;"> </div>				
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Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
TANIGUCHI, Brian T. (C)	✓			
KAHELE, Gilbert (VC)	✓			
KEITH-AGARAN, Gilbert S.C.				✓
IGE, David Y.				✓
KIDANI, Michelle N.	✓			
TOKUDA, Jill N.				✓
SLOM, Sam	✓			
<b>TOTAL</b>	4			3
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted           <input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted         </div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="font-size: 1.2em; font-family: cursive; margin-top: 10px;">Gilbert Kahele</div>				
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